

administration and operation of the OIG (Title 44 U.S. Code 3702).

(n) Establish and maintain appropriate property accounts for the OIG and appoint boards of survey, approve reports of survey, relieve personal liability, and drop accountability for OIG property contained in the authorized property accounts that has been lost, damaged, stolen, destroyed, or otherwise rendered unserviceable, in accordance with applicable laws and regulations.

(o) Issue the necessary security regulations for the protection of property and places under the jurisdiction of the IG, under DoD Directive 5200.8, "Security of Military Installations and Resources," July 29, 1980.

(p) Establish and maintain, for the functions assigned, an appropriate publications system for the promulgation of common supply and service regulations, instructions, and reference documents, and changes thereto, consistent with DoD 5025-1M, "Department of Defense Directives System Procedures," April 1981.

(q) Enter into support and service agreements with the Military Departments, other DoD Components, or other government agencies as required for the effective performance of responsibilities and functions assigned to the OIG.

(r) Authorize OIG personnel to carry firearms in accordance with DoD Directive 5210.66, "Carrying of Firearms by Department of Defense Personnel," May 31, 1979.

(s) Exercise original Top Secret classification authority.

(t) Issue credentials and other identification to employees of the OIG.

(u) The Inspector General may redelegate these authorities, in writing, except as otherwise specifically indicated above or as otherwise provided by law or regulation.

PART 376—DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE SUPPORT ACTIVITIES (DSAs)

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APPENDIX A TO PART 376—LIST OF DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE SUPPORT ACTIVITIES (DSAs)

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§ 376.1 Purpose.

Under the authority vested in the Secretary of Defense by Title 10, United States Code, this part:

(a) Establishes DSAs as an organizational category within the Department.

(b) Prescribes policy and assigns responsibilities under which DSAs shall operate.

§ 376.2 Applicability.

This part applies to the Office of the Secretary of Defense (OSD), the Military Departments, the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff and the Joint Staff, the Unified and Specified Commands, the Inspector General of the Department of Defense, the Defense Agencies, and the DoD Field Activities (hereafter referred to collectively as "the DoD Components").

§ 376.3 Definitions.

(a) *Department of Defense Support Activity (DSA)*. An organizational entity of the Department of Defense whose primary mission is to perform technical and/or analytical support functions for the OSD. A DSA must satisfy all of the following criteria:

(1) Function under the direction, authority, and control of an OSD Principal Staff Assistant.

(2) Perform technical and/or analytical support functions in specific areas of interest—as distinct from the normal OSD functions of developing policy, managing resources, and evaluating and overseeing programs.

(3) Have a primary organizational mission to perform assigned functions for a designated OSD Principal Staff Assistant(s)—as distinct from organizations whose primary mission is to provide support for all or several DoD Components.

(4) Be organizationally located outside the OSD and within another DoD